



Pacific Northwest Region TERO

Brian Porter (Swinomish), Chairman; Melvin Wheeler (Nez Perce), Vice Chairman

Tamara Takiisha Strong (Yakama), Secretary, Vacant Position, Treasurer

2019 PNW Region TERO Spring Conference

Yakama Nation

Legends Casino & Hotel

Toppenish, WA

April 16th & 17th 2019

Tuesday, April 16, 2019

- 7:30 am **Registration** - Legends Casino Event Center Entrance
- 8:30 am **Opening Ceremony** - Makinley Lee, Red Willow Drum Group; Flag Song and Honor Song
Yakama Warrior Association: Flag Detail
Yakama Nation Head Start Kids & Jode Goudy, Chairman Yakama Nation; Invocation
Welcome - Jode Goudy, Chairman Yakama Nation and Elizabeth Nason, YN Tribal Administrative Director
- 9:00 am **Pacific Northwest Introductions** - Brian Porter, Swinomish, PNW TERO Chairman
- 9:15 am **CTER Update** - Lee Adoph, President, Council for Tribal Employment Rights
- 10:00 am **Break**
- 10:15 am **Women of Steel**, Catherine Houston, Empowerment and Recruitment
- 11:15 am **Thrive Industries**, Nick Ramero; Training Opportunities for Tribal members
- NOON **Lunch Break**
- 1:15 pm **Veterans Affairs**, Shawn Marceau and Panel Speakers; Transitioning back into the workforce,
Cultural Support & Veterans Camp Chaparral
- 2:15 pm **Break**
- 2:30 pm **Carpenters Union**, Addiction Support, Shipyard & Marine Carpenters, Scholarship Opportunities
- 3:30 pm **Tribal Council Discussion on TERO** - Brian Porter, Moderator

Invite Tribal Councilmen/women from Visiting Tribes up to discuss Issues and Views on TERO

5:00 pm

Adjourn

Wednesday, April 17, 2019

7:30 am

Registration - Legends Casino Event Center Entrance

8:00 am

TERO Fun Run/Walk - Debra Byrd, YN Wak'ishwi Program
TERO Career Fair Begins

9:00 am

Yakima Worksource, Heather Collins, Dislocated Worker Resources, Learn About a Career, Training resources and more.

10:00 am

Break

10:15 am

Entrust Community Services, Jose Hernandez, Employment Specialist; Supported Employment Services, Youth Transitioning, Community Access and Enrichment Services

11:15 am

Goodwill Industries, Heather Peterson, Director of Services, Digital Career Accelerator Program,
Clothing Assistance, Childcare & After School Programs, Adult Day services plus more.

Noon

Adjourn - Closing Remarks: Elizabeth Nason, YN TAD, Brian Porter, PNW Chairman
Closing Ceremony - Makinley Lee, Red Willow Drum Group; Flag Song and Honor Song
Yakama Nation Warriors Veterans Flag Detail
Jode Goudy, YN Chairman, Invocation

12:30 p.m.

PNW Region Board Meeting - Icicle Room
Call to Order - Brian Porter, Chairman
Roll Call - Tamara Strong, Secretary
Approval of Minutes
Region Update - Brian Porter
Financial Report - Brian Porter, Stand in for Treasurer
Elections - Chairman Position
Treasurer Position
New Business
2019 PNW Region Fall Meeting Locations & Dates to be determined
TERO Career Fair ends

4:00 p.m.

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